

**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR MULTI-PLATFORM, MULTIMEDIA  
INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION NETWORK-INDEPENDENT SERVERS**

**ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

The inventive system and method provide an integrated information and communication network to any number of associated communication terminals. The invention includes at least one home system or server containing a plurality of applications for performing communication and information services. The home system allows the associated communication terminals to connect and access the applications to receive any of the variety of information and communication services directly from the home system. Communication information in the form of communication signals, data, or any combination of the two may be sent between the communication terminals and the home system. Such information may be provided by the user, by the home system, or may be obtained or processed by any of the available applications. The inventive integration of such services allows communication terminals to receive calling services and information simultaneously in addition to being able to access such information services, such as the Internet, directly.

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